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- 1) If you can recognize invasive plants and if you pay some attention to roadsides when driving around on CT roads, you will be surprised to find out how many different types of invasive plants we have, how many areas have been affected with invasive plants, and how fast invasive plants are spreading from last year to the current year. It is frightening and it becomes more and more serious each year!
- 2) Because of the huge economical and environmental impact of invasive plants, the USDA should increase its funding for programs related invasive plant management.
- 3) An important part of invasive plant management is to have effective technologies or methods to control the undesirable spread of invasive plants. At this time, too little funding has been provided by USDA for developing new technologies to control invasive plants.

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